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Mr. William J. Casey Director Central Intelligence Agency Washington, D.C. 20505

Dear Mr. Casey:

As you know, on February 18, at my request, I received a briefing by your staff on the subject of Central America. I found the time we spent on this subject to be most helpful, and I would like to express my appreciation and thanks.

I understand that new and additional information with respect to this same subject was to have been provided by you and your staff to the Senate Intelligence Committee yesterday, including matters which were still in process at the time of my February 18 briefing.

So that I may be fully and currently informed on this subject, I would appreciate your reviewing the transcript of yesterday's briefing and having excerpted, for my review, any portions thereof which contain information which I was not provided on February 18.

Your assistance and cooperation are greatly appreciated.

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